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--- On Tue, 8/4/09, krystal mountaine <krystalgirl@hotmail.com> wrote:

From: krystal mountaine <krystalgirl@hotmail.com>

Subject:

To: [REDACTED]

Date: Tuesday, August 4, 2009, 10:10 PM

To the pastors of [REDACTED] Church, I am writing you to express my feelings to you in regard to both your active support of referendum 71 and your actions regarding the transgendered population of this state. To begin with I am not attempting to threaten you or convey any intent of harm to you, however I feel I have a right to discuss the issues of a public nature with those who engage in public ventures as your church and congregation clearly have. I respect your religious beliefs and served my country proudly in the US special forces while serving in the first gulf war. I was both injured in combat and recieved several medals for my service in that war. I fought for all Americans and not just for those whom feel that they have a moral right to the priveledges of this country. I attempted to call you on saturday to discuss this matter, but was unable to talk about the issues of this bill given that my current gender was repeatedly disrespected. I too am a Christian and have read the Bible and while we might agree that homosexual conduct is a sin, so are all the other sins that you are overlooking. I would like the opportunity to believe that your church really does welcome all comers, but following this weekends response I'm not real sure that is the case. You may not like me for my life, but requesting that myself and all my friends not attend your church is a pretty bold un-Christ like statement.... especially given that I stated clearly I have no intent on causing a disruption to your service or members. I am extending to you forgiveness and the opportunity to discuss your position like adult Christians.. I will not be contacting you any further as I know no response from you is a response. Krystal Mountaine (and yes that is my legal name) P.S. The true test of a church is not in it's members or it's building, it's in the question of if Christ walked the earth today would he be welcome in it?

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